the latter will deposit \$5,000 with Al h to-morrow. Under the conditions both men must put up \$2,500 with the club as a guarantee of their appearance, which will go to either in case the other does not appear. Corbett expressed himself as being satisfied with the arrangements, and his decision, which he anonunced from the stage, was received with cheers by the audience. Colville, who did not get the fight, did not appear to be chagrined. On the other hand, he said he was glad that there was such a bright outlook for a fight. The date, Jan. 14, was selected rather hastily last night by Lewis, and he will endeavor, after Fitzsimmons has signed, to have it changed to Jan. 1. Fitzsimmons is already training for his fight with Sharkey, and Corbett can get in condition in two weeks. At the close of the performance to-night Corbett sent a telegram to Fitzsimmons, stating that twenty rounds would be a finish fight, but that talk of a finish fight would spoil all. A message was also re-ceived from Julian, Fitzsimmons's manager, demanding a championship battle to a finish, but if such a fight is impossible, then, "any old kind of a match will suit." Lewis's desire for a change in date is to enable the fight to be pulled off before the New York Legislature can change the pres-

Dismore Knocks Out Smith.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. SHELEYVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- A postponed prize fight between Ed Dismore, of this city, and Charles Smith, of Marion, O., who claims the welter weight championship of Indiana, Ohio and Kentucky, was pulled off just east of this city last midnight in the presence of two hundred sports from this city and neighborhood. The men were not at all evenly matched, Smith weighing 159 and Dismore 172 pounds Smith's seconds were William Teller, of Cleveland, O., and Henry Parker, of Marion. Dismore's seconds were "Kid" Williams and "Friday" Clark, of Indianapolis. Herb Hale was timekeeper and "Kid" McGraw referee. The fight was for a purse of \$100, and lasted two rounds, Dismore knocking out Smith completely. Smith left for West Virginia to-day, where he has a match with Joe Wolcott. RAILWAY LEGISLATION.

Brotherhood Chiefs Take Steps to Protect Interests of Employes.

CHICAGO, Nov. 20 .- An important conference of railway labor leaders was held to-day at the Sherman House, Among those present were F. P. Sargent, of Peoria, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen: P. M. Arthur, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers; E. E. Clark, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., chief of the Order of Rallway Conductors; P. H. Morrissey, of Peoria, chief of the Brotherhood meeting was called for the purpose of considering matters of legislation and to agree on a plan of action for the coming year. A representative will be sent to Washington, as formerly, to look after the interests of railway employes in national legislation. The contempt bill, the arbitration bill and the Phillips commission bill will all pressed for passage. These bills were all left over from fast session.

K. of L. for Free Silver. ROCHESTER, N. Y., Nov. 20,-The General Assembly of the Knights of Labor declared to-day for free silver. The action taken was in the adoption of an additional clause to the seventeenth plank of the declarations submitted by the committee on law. As originally framed, this plank held that interest-bearing bonds and bills of credit or loss should never have been issued by the government, but when need arises the emergency should be met by the issue To this was added the following: "And that gold and silver, when so issued, shall

any other nation. A resolution was adopted that the General Assembly denounce the attempt soon to be made to take from the government of the people the sovereign right to issue money and leave it entirely under the control of the national banks, and calls upon the people everywhere to watch their Representatives in Congress and demand from them such legislation as will continue the issuance of government money in preference to money of national banks or corpo-

ratio of 16 to 1, regardless of the action of

## **BUSINESS REVERSES**

A. T. Hatch, Once the Grentest Orchardist, in Financial Straits.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20 .- A. T. Hatch at one time the greatest orchardist in the world, has suffered reverses which will probably result in the loss to him of his extensive orchard consisting of 950 acres in the Suisan valley. A long series of misfortunes extending over a period of three years have culminated in a suit brought by R. D. Robbins, a Suisan banker, to recover \$200,000, principal and interest on missory notes executed by Hatch in 1892. Employes of Hatch have also filed attachments aggregating \$6,000 for labor performed. Mr. Hatch's business troubles began three years ago, when he conceived the idea of shipping green fruit to Lon-don in trainload lots. The failure of his pet project is well known. But he was not afraid to try another. He mortgaged his ranch in Suisan valley for \$200,000 and launched upon another era of speculation. The decline swamped him, however, and he was forced to submit to the inevitable. Other Embarrassments.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Nov. 20.-Applica-

tion was made in the Probate Court to-day by the Misses Hawes, owners of the Park City Theater and lessees of the Auditorium, to have their estate declared insolvent. It is said the holdings are mortgaged to the extent of \$100,000 and several attachments have recently been placed on PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.-Mrs. Rosa

essed judgments to-day amounting to \$89.-

in this city.

000. Executions were presented, but no assignment has yet been recorded. The sheriff is in charge of the store. BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Nov. 20.-Frank Miller was to-day appointed receiver of the Utilization Company, which has the con-

tract for reducing the city garbage by a new system. The liabilities of the concern are said to be \$42,000, with assets valued at between \$50,000 and \$60,000. LONDON, Nov. 20 .- The failure of P. L. Smith was announced on the Stock Exchange to-day. In the mine market it is considered a rather important failure.

## TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

No lives were lost by the falling of the cotton compress at Macon, Ga. All the injured will recover. Dr. Charles E. Graves, a prominent dentist and school director of West Philaelphia, Pa., committed suicide yesterday

by shooting himself. Domestic troubles. Governor Bradley, of Kentucky, has issued a death warrant fixing Jan. 9 as the ate on which Robert Laughlin must hang. Laughlin's crime was the murder of his

Henry Sherwood, title examiner of the st. Louis Trust Company, committed suicide at his home in that city yesterday by shooting himself with a revolver. Iil health is thought to have been the cause. The suicide was a son of Justice Sherwood. of the Missouri Supreme Court. William J. Richter, the murderer of his little nephew, James McConnell, was convicted at Pittsburg, yesterday, of murder in the second degree, the extreme penalty of which is twenty years' imprisonment. The defense was insanity. The murdered boy was a son of Will J. McConnell, the temperance evangelist, of Cleveland.

Obituary.

FALLS CITY, Conn., Nov. 20.-Ex-Con-gressman Frederick Miles died to-day at nis residence at Twin Lakes, after a illness, aged eighty-one years. Mr. Miles was a direct descendant of Richard Miles. who came from England in 1636. He was thrice elected to Congress from the Fourth congressional district of Connecticut. NEW YORK, Nov. 20 .- The Rev. Dr. Issac Henry Tuttle died to-day at his home in this city. He had been ill for more than a year. Dr. Tuttle was rector emeritus of St. Luke's Episcopa: Church, and was the dest Episcopal clergyman in the city,

having been born Feb. 5, 1811. CHICAGO, Nov. 20 .- Henry Asbury, an ntimate personal and political friend of Abraham Lincoln and the man who framed for him the four questions propounded to hen A. Douglas in the famous debates of 1858, is dead at the age of eighty-

BERLIN, Nov. 20.-Prince Othen Von Stollberg-Wernigerode died yesterday evening at Wernigerode. He was born in 1837, was head of the house of Stollberg-Wer-

rode, president of the Prussian Diet and a general of Prussian cavalry.

Earthquake in Delaware. WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 20,-A slight earthquake shock was felt here at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Several rocks were knocked from the walls of Grace Church and cracks were made in several buildings.

INDIANA NATURAL GAS

INSPECTOR LEACH EXPECTS SOME GRUMBLING THIS WINTER.

Eleventh Season of the Great Fuel in This State-Fire Casualties in Morgan County

KOKOMO, Ind., Nov. 20.-State Natural Gas Inspector J. C. Leach, of this city. has just completed a number of tests of wells in various parts of the natural gas area of Indiana and inspecting plants with the view of preventing leakage and waste of the fuel. Professor Leach found the wells all showing up strongly and bearing evidence of satisfactory service the coming winter. Very few additional wells have been drilled this fall, he says, the mild weather of the past seasons and the closing down of numerous factories on account of dull times, having reduced the normal consumption of gas fuel to a point that obviates the necessity for sinking other wells to strengthen the winter service, as has been the case heretofore. The general resumption of operations of the factories of the gas belt, Mr. Leach says, should not visibly affect the supply of gas. Nearly all the larger industries have their own gas plants and the supply to private consumers will not be endangered by the heary drain by the mills and factories. The domestic supply comes from separate systems. Factory wells have been given a good rest in most cases and are in a condition to stand a heavy draft, though continuous operation will necessitate the drilling of additional wells in the near future. Professor Leach thinks that a severely cold winter may tax the pipeline systems to their full capacity in some towns and he will not be surprised to hear of a shortage of the gas supply in those places. This is the eleventh winter of natural gas in Indiana and the product has lasted beyond general expectations. Prof. Leach says that several hundred square miles of fertile territory yet remain un-

New Gas Well at Westfield.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WESTFIELD, Ind., Nov. 20 .- To-day at of Railway Trainmen; W. P. Powell, head 10 o'clock the Westfield Gas Company of the Order of Railway Telegraphers. The brought into service a new well, with a righted and kept the track, and was not pressure of 360 pounds. The well is two miles southwest from Westfield, and is per- | pilot. Six tramps loitering near by were fectly dry. It is the second new well in that immediate vicinity, which was hitherto undeveloped. An abundant supply of natural gas is thus assured to Westfield

> MAY RUN CO-OPERATIVE. Scheme of the Idle Glass Workers at Hartford City.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal, HARTFORD CITY, Ind., Nov. 20 .- It is given out on reliable authority that the Hartford City glass factory has prepared a plan to run the big factory on the cooperative basis if the wage scale is not immediately settled and it is thought it will not be. If the plan is accepted the factory will start soon. Most of the window glass factories now running are on the co-operative basis and this is one thing which gives color to the story. Secretary J. R. Johnston, of the Hartford City Glass Company be by the free and unlimited coinage, at the and a member of the manufacturers' wage committee, returned home to-day from Pittsburg. He says the manufacturers offered last year's wages, or 15 per cent. off of the net scale, but the men demanded an advance of practically 7 and 3 per cent. or 8 per cent. off of the net list for single strength and 12 per cent. for double strength blowers and gathers. What the workers and chambers will do to-day and what arrangements the merchants and Burns will make at the conference here Saturday are still unknown. Merchants refuse to give further credit as there is a move to establish a co-operative store by the factory people and thus freeze out the merchants, who have been depending on the men for their trade. Within the past few months twelve heretofore prosperous business firms of this city have either assigned or closed out their stocks and several more are tottering. The pay roll of the factory is over \$10,000 per week and is placed in the hands of people who circulate it. This being shut off for over six months has caused an alarming stagnation in busi-

Suffering in Marion.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARION. Ind., Nov. 20 .- The delay in fixing the scale of wages in the window glass industry brings much discomfort to the workingmen here, as well as to the manufacturers and the merchants. The prolonged interval of idleness has absorbed the surplus earnings of the workingmen for last year. The merchants have carried accounts until they contemplate suspension of credits, and the manufacturers are naturally dissatisfied with the increased importations of a commodity that they prefer to make themselves. There are about three hundred window glass workers in this city, and whatever touches them directly affects 1,200 others. Suspension of credit to these people, many of whom are penniless, means a sad condition.

TWO IN THE FLAMES. Child Burned to Death and a Woman

Fatally Injured. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- Mrs. John Teeters, aged twenty-eight, was Garson, who conducts one of the largest stricken with paralysis a few months ago, but had improved so far that she attempted to do their washing this week. In some manner she fell into an open fireplace and her clothing was in flames in an instant. She ran to a bed and endeavored to smother the flames, but could not.

> until she could call her husband from the field where he was gathering corn. She fell unconscious as he came up and has not yet regained consciousness. H. M. Wellman's three-year-old daughter was burned to death at his home, near Wakeland, this county. Mrs. Wellman had stepped from the room for a few minutes. when the little tot attempted to build up the fire and her clothing ignited. She suffered intensely from early morning until night, when death came.

She then ran some distance from the house

New Way of Getting Inheritance.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. LAPORTE, Ind., Nov. 20.-LaPorte has several citizens who are beneficiaries of a over one hundred years ago. A wealthy man named Federman died, and by will left all his property in trust with the government, the interest to be distributed among his descendants by a sort of a lottery scheme. All the descendants to the remotest generation are requestd to send in their names, with proof of their heirship. These names are put into a box duly sealed and guarded, and in July of each year twelve names are drawn. Barney Kramer's wife is one of the descendants. and two of his children have drawn over \$100 each in this novel inheritance. Mrs. Isaac Kramer is one of the heirs, as Federman was an uncle of her mother, but she has never drawn anything. There are several other descendants of Federman in this city, but none but the Kramer children have been fortunate enough to get their names on the list. The first intimation the Kramer children had of their good fortune was a letter containing a draft for

A Tricky Prisoner in Juil.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BRAZIL, Ind., Nov. 20 .- Much interest has been created at the county jail by prisoner named William Tyler, who displays great ability in opening the jail doors. The sheriff locks him securely in a cell and within five minutes Tyler is at liberty, throwing back the bolts of two modern jail locks. How he unfastens the locks is a mystery. No keys can be found on his person. The County Commissioners witnessed Tyler's feat and they are likewise at a loss to understand him. jall is a new structure, supplied with the latest improved locks. The prisoner offered to bet \$20 that he could open every door in the jail in ten minutes, but he could find no one willing to accept his offer. Tyler was arrested and fined a few days ago for running a "hoochee coochee" show on West Kain street, and placed in iall to lay out his fine. He says he could escape easily, but had no desire to do so.

Indiana Walnut for Germany. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

RUSHVILLE, Ind., Nov. 2).-Since Nov. 1 fifteen carloads of walnut timber has

been cut and loaded on the cars in this county and shipped to New York, whence it STILL goes to Germany, to be manufactured into fine furniture. O. M. Pruitt, of Indian-apolis, is representing the German syndicate handling the logs. Walnut trees are expensive, the price running as high as \$150 per tree. Dr. John Arnold had a grove of two hundred trees, forty of which he sold to Pruitt. These trees have grown on his farm since the first opening up of the county. To-day the trees are worth many times the land they grow on. There are only a few other such groves in the county.

Connersville Wedding.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. CONNERSVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- A society event here was the marriage of Miss Daisy Belle Sinks, of this city, and Dr. Arthur William Callaway, of Cincinnati, last evening. Three hundred invitations were out. The ceremony took place in a bower of palms, flowers and evergreens by present from a distance were Mrs. Rose Trusier Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Volz and W. E. Creer, of Indianapolis; Rev. J. N. Green, Mrs. Frederick Danner, Cincinnati: Dr. Henry Baldwin, Springfield; Miss Mattle Bowles, Preston, O.: Mrs. A. Calloway, Walter Calloway, Charles F. Carson, R. E. Campbell, Home City, O.; Mrs. L. T. Mathers, Miss Louise Mathers, Mrs. Jean McCaslin, of Sidney; O. M. and Mrs. M. R. Hull, Miss Mena Hull, of Rushville; Mrs. T. J. Immel, of Logansport; Harry Updegraff, of Marion.

Percy Wade Missing. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. RUSHVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- Percy Wade, brother of blacksmith W. W. Wade, of Carthage, is mysteriously missing. His brother, the blacksmith, suspects foul play and to-day posted an offer of \$500 reward for information that would lead to the finding of the missing Percy. The case has attracted great interest at Carthage, and not a few people are of the opinion that young Wade was done away with for some money he possessed. Percy Wade left his brother's shop Sept. 19. Percy Wade was about twenty-seven years old, five feet eight or ten inches tall, light complexioned and weighed 150 to 175 pounds. On his left arm were some figures in India ink.

Attempt to Wreck a Fast Train. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. FORT WAYNE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- An attempt was made to wreck the fast express No. 6, east bound, on the Nickel-plate, last night, eight miles east of this city, near New Haven. The train was running at a high rate of speed, when engineer Tracey saw between the rails a large stone weighing probably three hundred pounds. The engine struck the obstruction and damaged, excepting the destruction of the arrested and are now in jail on suspicion.

Gold-Headed Cane for Faris.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 29 .- Congressman Faris was presented with a goldheaded cane last night by a number of his admirers among the veterans of the Union army. He was induced to go to the courthouse on the pretext that the veterans wanted to hear from him once more before he went to Washington. On arriving there Mr. Robert H. Cattin, on behalf of the donors, made a brief presentation speech.

New Way to Flirt in Greentown. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

KOKOMO, Ind., Nov. 20.-Last evening while two schoolgirls were walking along the streets of Greentown they were accosted familiarly by a traveling man. The girls, though alone, had their grit with them. They turned on the man like tiger cats and began gouging his eyes, scratching his face and tearing his ciotning. The surprised stranger took to his heers and

Coates College to Raise Money.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 20.-When Governor-elect Mount was at Coates College the other day attending a meeting of the board of trustees the board decided to make an effort next spring to raise \$100,000, half of which is to be used on buildings and half for an endowment. A committee, of which Governor-elect Mount is a member, was appointed to make plans for the work of raising the money.

Bundy and Hernly's Banquet.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NEW CASTLE, Ind., Nov. 20.-Ex-Judge E. H. Bundy and ex-Clerk C. S. Hernly gave a banquet last night in the K. of P. Hall to their fellow-members of the New Castle Bar Association. Covers were laid for forty. John M. Morris acted as toastmaster and responses were made by Gen. Grose, M. L. Bundy, Adolph Rogers, L. P. Mitchell, B. S. Parker and many others.

Winter Term Date Changed.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 20.-The faculty of the State Normal School has decided to change the date of the opening of the winter term from Dec. 29 to Jan. . This is done for the benefit of those who may desire to attend the annual convention of the State Teachers' Association, which meets in Indianapolis Dec. 29.

Breyfogle's Second Trial Begins.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- The noted Breyfogle cases, in which Dr. W. L Breyfogle, ex-president of the Monon, and other officials of the defunct New Albany Banking Company are charged with lar-ceny, etc., are set for trial in the Circuit Court to-morrow. At the last term Dr. Breyfogle was tried and acquitted on the

charge of embezzlement \$300 for Breach of Promise. Special to the Indianapolis Journal Sherman Huff, a well-to-do farmer of Wabash county, was decided to-day by the jury awarding the plaintiff \$300. Proceed-

ings were commenced two years ago. Miss Powell demanded \$5,000 damages.

Hope Republican Suspends. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., Nov. 20.-The Hope Republican, a weekly newspaper, has suspended publication, owing to bad business. Its editor, J. C. Van Harlingan, was formeriy editor of the Seymour Republican, which he sold to Messrs. Remy and Smith about three months ago.

Acquitted of Murder. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

CROWN POINT, Ind., Nov. 20 .- The jury in the Shelby murder case to-day acquitted the defendant, Herman Harper, of Chicago. very remarkable will, made in Germany and killed Andrew Defries, his partner in business.

> Rev. Wilson Goes to Illinois. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. VALPARAISO, Ind., Nov. 20.-Rev. J. H Wilson, late presiding elder of the Valpataiso district, Northeast Indiana M. E. Con-

> Valley, Ill. Funk's Residence Burned. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WARSAW, Ind., Nov. 20 .- The residence of Frederick Funk was destroyed by fire last night. Loss, \$2,000; no insurance. The

> fire was caused by a spark from a passing

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locomotive.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., Nov. 20. Samuel Lynn, a well-known veteran, died suddenly to-day after an illness of about two hours. Yesterday he was working hard and exhibited no signs of illness. William James, ex-commissioner of Scott county, and one of the most highly respected citizens of Nabb Station, died suddenly last night of apoplexy. NEW CASTLE, Ind., Nov. 20 .- C. W. Mc-Geath died at his home in this city last night, aged eighty-one. Deceased was a lifelong citizen of the county. During the last year his mind became unbalanced and continued so until death. The funeral will be held at Lewisville Sunday afternoon.

Losses by Fire.

CLEVELAND, Nov. 20 .- Fire this morning destroyed the five-story building at Nos. 190, 152 and 194 Superior street, occupled by H. W. Luetkemyer & Co., wholesale and retail hardware and paint dealers. Several people were slightly burned. Loss on stock and building, \$150,000; fully insured. The furniture stock of the Goodhart Furniture Company on one side is damaged by smoke and water to the extent of \$10,000 and that of Likly & Rockett, trunks, on the other side. \$500.

Miss Mary Dean will give a lecture on "Intrinsic Beauty." Friday evening, Nev. 27, at the Y. W. C. A., No. 139 North Meridian street. Each member has the privtiege of inviting one guest, either lady or

WEYLER IS TRYING TO CORNER MA-CEO AND FORCE A BATTLE.

Cuban Insurgents Routed in Minor Engagements-Price Put on the Captain General's Head.

KEY WEST, Fla., Nov. 20.-Advices received here from Cuba to-day by the steamship Whitney east discredit upon the statement that the campaign of General Weyler against Antonio Maceo in the the Rev. J. T. Green, of Cincinnati. Those | Province of Pinar del Rio has failed, and that Weyler will soon return to Havana. It is stated, on the contrary, that Weyler has no intention of returning to the capeffort to compel Maceo to meet him in a pitched battle. When last heard from the Spanish commander was massing his forces for an attack on the insurgents. The latter are said to number only 20,000 men, all told, and they are reported to be suffering from a scarcity of provisions, etc. Maceo is awaiting reinforcements, and, in this connection, news of the whereabouts and doings of Maximo Gomez are awaited with much interest. Little or nothing has been heard recently of Gomez, who is believed to be at the head of the main body of the insurgent forces. Current reports some time ago, had it that he was in the Province of Santa Clara, and advancing westward toward Matanzas, his objective point being the Province of Havana, and probably the city of Havana itseif. While Weyler's present campaign is regarded in Havana as marking a crisis in the war, it is whispered that at the con-

clusion of any pitched battle which is fought a truce may be declared and arrangements made for a conference between the insurgent leaders and the representatives of Spain looking to a settlement of the war. This is most significant as showing that all classes are utterly tired of the war and its burdens, and longing for some way out of the present difficulties. Under these circumstances an important insurgent victory would almost be hailed in commercial circles at Havana Rheims, with the same satisfaction that a Spanish The C victory would be received A great deal of misery exists in Havana, and the outlook grows darker and darker as days pass. Business is almost at a standstill, the hurled it to one side. The locomotive ca- prices for all commodities have gone up volunteers into the field to assist the 200,-000 troops operating against the insurgents in the various parts of the island. Quintin Randera, the well-known insurgent leader, was reported yesterday to be line with a strong force of insurgent cavairy and infantry, and Calixto Alvarez is said to be with him. Lacret, another of the best-known of the insurgent leaders, is said to be suffering from a wound. General Echague, the Spanish officer, who was wounded severely in the thigh in the attack on the Rubi hills, is improving.

INSURGENTS ROUTED.

"Official" Account of a Battle-Weyler's Movements Kept Secret.

HAVANA, Nov. 20 .- The coasting steamer Triton arrived here to-day from Pinar del Rio with 167 sick soldiers and two insurgent prisoners. Owing to the precautions taken by the government no definite news could be obtained from this source and the officials at headquarters say they have no news at present which can be made public concerning the movements of Captain General Weyler, although it is intimated there is not much change in the situation.

Generals Arminan and Amor overtook on Wednesday last, the forces of Serafin Sanchez and Carilla La Rosa, numbering, they say, two thousand men. The insurgents, it appears from the official report, were defending a pass of the river Zaza, province of Santa Clara, near Damas. The enemy, it is added, occupied good positions, but after two hours fighting, the Spanish troops succeeded in forcing the pass and camped n the insurgents' positions. A squadron of Hernandez Cortes regiment and a company of the Leon Battalion afterwards penetrated into the insurgents' camp, dispersing them with heavy loss. The exact num-ber of the enemy killed is not known, but it is stated that sixty bodies are known to have been buried. The government forces lost a lieutenant of cavalry killed and had two officers and twenty soldiers wounded. The Saboya Guerrilla Batallion and a local cavalry squadron from Salianilla have surprised an insurgent camp at Esmeralda. province of Matanzas. The enemy left eleven killed and the troops destroyed the

encampment. A detachment belonging to the Almendares Battalion has surprised and destroyed, in the vicinity of Raiz del Togo, four insurgent camps, capturing a quantity of arms and ammunition, and a wounded major of insurgents named Arguelles. The insurgent leader Nicholas Suarez kidnaped a boy named Quintin Torre, aged fifteen years, and threatened that if his father did not redeem him he would hang the boy. The Governor arrested the wife, sister and niece of Suarez and thus suc-ceeded in securing the liberation of the

insurgents have hanged Fusebio Blanco for carrying provisions to Ma-

Later official reports of the engagement near Damas say that General Lopez, the chief army authority in the district of Sancti Spiritus, has killed the insurgent General Serafin Sanchez and Captain Males and has wounded the insurgent leader Pancho Carrillo. The insurgents suffered a loss of over one hundred in the engage-

Price Put on Weyler's Head. ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 20 .- An agent of WABASH, Ind., Nov. 29.-The breach of a Western powder and dynamite company, promise case of Miss Alice Powell against | who gave his name as Philip Carroll and said he was on his way home from Cuba, asserted while in this city that the insurgents had placed a price on the head of General Weyler. A company of sixty Texas rangers, he said, armed with rifles which will carry a ball five miles, landed on the island three weeks ago, and these men are on the lookout all the time for Spanish officers. The rifles, which are Sharp's needle guns, with wind gauges and telescopic sights, each weigh twenty-eight pounds. The natives cannot use them, but an insurgent accompanies each sharpshooter and carries a field glass. With the glass the native scans the country for officers. When one is found the ranger gets in action with his rifle, firing from a rest. These Texans operate chiefly from tree tops. For every officer they kill or fatally wound they get \$1,000 and the man who kills Gen. Weyler is to get \$5,000. Carroll left Havana on one of the Plant steamships four days

Armistice Rumors Not Verified. WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 .- There is no of-

ficial vertification of reports which have been current here and in London of a Spanish-Cuban armistice, and, in fact, an incitement to manslaughter.' every avenue of official information on the ference, has accepted a call to the pastorate | Cuban question is closed. The United of the Congregational Church at Spring | States in the previous Cuban war sought to have adopted an agreement for an armistice. At that time one of the main difficulties in conducting peace negotiations was in securing the assent of the insurgents and to this end Secretary Fish, on June 6, 1869, secured the signature of Morales Lemus, as "the authorized agent of the revolutionary party of Cuba," to a document agreeing to an armistice pending negotiations for a settlement. The settlement contemplated the independence of Cuba and for this reason was not accepted by Spain and the armistice falled. government sought to bring about a truce for the reasons that it thought in three or four months passions might have cooled sufficiently to make possible a permanent peace arrangement.

Spanish Flag Burned.

NEW CASTLE, Del., Nov. 20 .- The anti-Spanish feeling here culminated in an exciting episode, participated in by State troops, which may lead to the court-martialing of several members. Company H. of the Delaware National Guards, last night, in the armory, gave a reception, an event which was much enjoyed. Just before the gathering dispersed, shortly before midnight, some one placed in front of the armory a Spanish flag. The young soldiers came out, caught sight of the emblem, and a rush was made for it. It was torn from the staff, trampled under foot and furnished the basis for several flery speeches. Finally it was carried to the middle of the street, a bonfire built and the obnoxious flag burned amid the cheers of the crowd. At this time Captain Rogers dispersed the crowd. The event is much deplored by the sober-minded class of citizens.

Mckipley Noncommittal. GALVESTON, Tex., Nov. 20 .- Mr. Louis Penez, Cuban agent for Texas, who claims his annaintment under General Palma of

New York, on Nov. 9 sent a letter of congratulation to President-elect McKinley, to which the following answer, signed by "James Boyle, private secretary," was re-

"My Dear Sir-For congratulatory mes-sage, contained in your favor of recent date. Major McKinley wishes me to return his sincere thanks."

OLD-TIME HUSKING BEE.

New York's 400 Participates in a Frolie at the Hotel Waldorf.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.-The gorgeous ballroom at the Hotel Waldorf was the scene of an old-time "husking bee" tonight. The affair was under the auspices of the National Society of New England Women and was patronized by the "four hundred" society followers, who entered into the frolic with a hilarity that was unique. In the center of the room were the huskers, with calico dresses or over-alls. An old fiddler supplied the "music" and to the many peals of laughter the huskers bent to their work, stopping to kiss the girl whenever a red ear of corn was found. "Saily Jones." who was Miss Athens, sang "Grandma's Advice." Oscar Duryea, James D. Fitzgerald and others sang and danced jigs, while the guests joined heartly in the chorus. A ball and supper followed.

FRANCE AND GERMANY

RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO NA-

TIONS GROWING MORE FRIENDLY.

A Result of the Czar's Visit to Paris-Duel Over the Dreyfus Episode in the Deputies.

PARIS, Nov. 20.-The Chamber of Deputies to-day resisted an attempt by M. Hugues, reactionary, to raise a discussion on the recent Protestant conference at Lyons with a view of establishing an analogy with the clerical congresses at

The Czar's visit seems to be producing good results in the direction of a reconciliation between France and Germany. It is announced on good authority that the Gerto extravagant rates, while the loyal por-tion of the population has been drained of its able-bodied men in order to send already been ordered to retire for the winter to the garrisons at Cologne, Aix-la-Chappelle and Treves, and it is believed that next spring the size of the camp will in the vicinity of the Pinar del Rio military | be considerably reduced. Germany contends that the camp at Elsenborn is merely a big drill ground. It is declared here, however, that it is part of a plan which the late Count Von Moltke arranged for the invasion of France by Belgium and the valley of the Meuse, and that Germany could concentrate a half million men there in a single day. The suggestion that France should issue a counter blast by forming a strong camp on the southern frontier of Belgium causes apprehension at Brussels, and it is hoped in the interest of peace that Emperor William will see his way to abandon the alleged Von Moltke plans.

There was a tremendous panic, only lasting a few minutes, however, on the bourse to-day over a rumor of the death of Alphonse Rothschild. It is supposed to have been started by an organized gang. People rushed to sell at any price until the truth was discovered. The police have opened an inquiry to discover the origin of the rumor.

At a meeting of the Municipal Council today the railway committee reported in favor of six electric street lines, of one meter gauge, including a direct line across Paris from the Porte Maillot to Vincennes, and a circular line passing by the outer boulevards.

The newspapers announce that an association has been formed under the auspices of the Marquis of Dufferin, the recently retired British embassador, Philip Stanhope and others, to improve the relations between France and England. As a sequel to the Dreyfus affair there

will be a duel to-morrow between M. Millevove, editor of La Patrie, and Dr. Goldmann, correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung. The latter has had some difficulty in finding seconds. The well-known aeronauts, Besancon and Farman, have ascended in a balloon called 'The Touring Club," with the intention of remaining up as long as possible

Applied for the Chiliern Hundreds. DUNDEE, Scotland, Nov. 20 .- The Dun dee Courier to-day announces that James Martin White, member of Parliament for Forfarshire, and member of the firm of J. F. White & Co., of New York, has applied for the Chiltern Hundreds, which is equivalent to resigning. In a letter to the Liberal executive committee Mr. White upbraids its members for circulating the "false report that he had resigned a week ago." and for "being the first to publish damaging rumors." without mentioning that he had expressed himself as "prepared to meet the charges at the proper time. The charges alluded to are believed to be suit for breach of promise of marriage, brought by the eldest daughter of the Rev. Mr. Grant, parish minister of St. Johns, Dundee, which is to be tried in March next, when Mr. White, who has gone to India, will return to defend himself.

The Prussian Diet. BERLIN, Nov. 20.-The Prussian Diet was opened to-lay. The speech from the favorable condition of the finances, the budgets of 1895-96 and 1896-97 showing considerable surpluses, while the estimates for 1897-98 did not show a deficit. Continuing. the speech read: "Although the continuance of such a situation for any length of time is uncertain, it is found practicable to raise the salaries of the middle grade and superior state officials as well as the salaries of the teachers of the middle schools and universities, and to increase the grants for widows and orphans." The speech further announces that bills for raising the salaries of elementary school teachers and for rearranging the emoluments of judges wili also be submitted.

The Kaiser's Advice to Officers. LONDON, Nov. 21.-A Berlin dispatch to the Daily Mail says that according to the Tageblatt, Emperor William, while recently speaking to an officers' gathering, advised them to do their drinking in their own mess rooms and not to venture into public places at the risk of rows when they are tipsy, but that if they were attacked they should not hesitate to use their arms. "This statement," says the Mail's dispatch, creases popular indignation, and Radical members of the Reichstag denounce it as

Ivory Committed for Trial. LONDON, Nov. 20 .- At the Bow-street Police Court to-day Edward J. Ivory, alias Edward Bell, the alleged Irish-American dynamiter, of New York, charged with conspirac, to cause explosions, was formally committed for trial at the next session of the Central Criminal Court. Edward H. Carson, Q. C., member of Parliament for Dublin University and formerly solicitorgeneral for Ireland, Conservative, has been engaged to defend Ivory.

A Revolt Feared in Haiti. NEW YORK, Nov. 20 .- A dispatch to the World from Kingston, Jamaica, says: Grave fears of a revolt are entertained in Halti, according to advices just received. The popular impression is widespread in the "black republic" that there have been heavy frauds in the Ministry of Finance, and it is suspected that the President, Gen. T. Simon Sam, is suppressing facts.

Seeking Pardon for Dr. Jameson. LONDON, Nov. 20 .- Dr. Jameson, the leader of the raid into the Transvaal, underwent an operation in Holloway jail last evening, and at one time during the night his condition was grave. Efforts to secure his pardon and that of his fellow-prisoners have been renewed. A Pretender's Daughter Disowned.

PARIS, Nov. 20.-The Gazette de France

publishes a letter from Don Carlos, the

pretender to the throne of Spain, to his followers, disowning his third daughter, Princess Elvira, who eloped last week with a Roman artist named Folchi, a married Russia May Invade Asia Minor. LONDON, Nov. 21 .- The Daily Mail's Berlin correspondent reports that Russia is

mobilizing the Caucasus army with the in-

tention of invading Asia Minor, on the pre-

An Astonishing

SO REMARKABLE THAT, FOR FEAR OF DISBELIEF. SOME OF THE FACTS ARE WITHHELD.

A Correspondent who Interviews a Woman in Regard to Her Recovery from Illness is so Impressed with the Story and Regards it so Wonderful that He fears to Write the Whole Facts.

## READ HIS LETTER AND THE WOMAN'S STORY.

From the Free Press, Beloit, Wis.

WYOMING, WISCONSIN, June 6th, 1896. can send you a hundred names of pursons Dr. Williams' Med. Co., Schenectady, N. Y. who will wonch for the facts as herein s. ued. Gentlemen :- Replying to your favor of respect for Pink Pills. recent date, I called on Mrs. Jaze Culver, of Wyoming, Wis., yesterday. I had heard much about her case before I went to see asking Mr. Calkins to interview the lady her. She has so long been regarded by her mentioned and write up her case for publifamily and all her neighbors as a hopeless cation. Not the least interesting part of it invalid that her present state of health is is Mr. Calkins' own straightforward statenothing less than a marvel in this (Wyoming) ment of astonishment at Mrs. Culver's story.

The interview with Mrs. Culver follows:

valley. month of March last Mrs. Culver had lain years ago I began having rheumatism-rheubors and friends expected daily to be called later on into what the doctors called chronics upon to perform the "last sad offices" for her, and when they learned that she had vised for many ailments. I grew stendily actually arisen from her bed and could "sit up," it was felt that little less than a resurrection had happened in their midst.

worse. Insidiously disease fastened upon
me. My liver and kidneys were affected.
I had palpitation of the heart until my
limbs would grow rigid and my friendo

Yet imagine the astonishment when a would think me dying. week or two later it was announced in the "I sought remedies and medical advice "valley" that she could walk, and when I tried physicians of every school. Alloshe was, at last, really able to meet and shake hands with friends in the door, yard, voyants and Indian herb doctors. During or upon the street, it was felt that truely the years that my husband was post master at Wyoming a had access to heaps of ad-

a miracle had been wrought in their midst. | vertising, an through circulars freely disremark after greeting was that in all her fifty-eight years she could not recall so "early" a nothing but a skeleton. "About the 20th of March a neighbor who season for fruit and garden stuff as the had been troubled with rheumatism and had present. She talked freely of her long, sad been taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills came illness-the dreary track of pain and weak- in and asked me to try them. I had read nessover which for twenty years her body had trying new remedies. I commenced their been racked, and told with evident happiness use, however, and in a few days began feel-of her wonderful cure. "The truth is," she ing better. The neuralgia pains fled from said, "I was dead and am alive again." And the region of my heart and stomach. In one there was no lack of enthusiasm in her week I was able to sit up for an hour or two voice as she spoke of the sovereign remedy at a time. In a little more than two weeks which had wrought such wonder work for I could walk, and in May I began doing her. She was surrounded by the members housework. I am now able to do my work of her family, her husband, daughter and and am free from the frightful pains and grand children, and Pink Pills was certainly awful weakness from which I suffered so the burden of their happy conversation dur- many years. I owe this state of health to

But her cure, after all, is best summed up in her own simple and succinct statement, true statement will induce others suffering which she made in the hope of doing good as I did to give the pills a trial."

Mrs. Culver is a woman of education and refinement. Her husband was post master 5th day of June, 1896. at Wyoming during President Harrison's administration. Among those of their and Mrs. C. W. Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Solon Knickerbocker and scores of others living here in the town and valley of Wyoming.

P.S.—I must confess that I had an idea that patent medicine testimonials were mostly afraid to write the facts just as the actual history of the case demanded. I have been truly fearful lest I should seem to overdo bulk or by the 100), by addressing Dr. Wiland thus spoil this splendid testimonial. I liams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

"I am very glad to add my testimony to the For more than a year past and up to the growing evidence of Pink Pill cures. The facts in my care are simply these. Twenty actually at the point of death. Her neigh- matic pains in my shoulders. This developed

Yours sincerely and with admiration and

pathy, homeopathy, electric and even clair-I found Mrs. Culver, a pleasant faced, tributed. I tried all sorts of remedies and attractive little woman, about her household consulted many physicians. Year by year work when I called on June 5th. She was, in I became a bed-ridden invalid, and in March fact, picking over gooseberries, and her first of this year my physician said all I had to

Pink Pills and to nothing else.

"My best wish is that this simple and MRS. JANE CULVER. (Signed.) Sworn to and subscribed before me this

RICHARD DUNSTAN, Justice of the Peace. We, the undersigned, husband and daughneighbors who can further attest the facts in ter of Mrs. Jane Culver, have read her stateher case are the present post master and his ment as above and declare the same to be true. wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Danstan, Mr. (Signed.) DAVID W. CULVER. MATTIE CULVER. Sworn to and subscribed before me this

5th day of June, 1896. RICHARD DUNSTAN, Justice of the Peace. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People fakes, manufactured in the good-humored are now given to the public as an unfailing spirit of humbuggery which delights the blood builder and nerve restorer, curing all world at large. In this case, which I have forms of weakness arising from a watery conlooked up myself I have found at the first dition of the blood or shattered nerves. The trial a cure so astonishing that I have been pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent

text that brigandage makes the occupation of the country a necessity.

It is reported that the Bolivian Congress, n secret session, has authorized a loan to increase the armaments of the country. Bernardino Campos has been appointed Minister of Finance of Brazil, Senor Bar-bosa Minister of Marine and Senor Martinho Minister of Industry.

Cable Notes.

CAUGHT TWO PRISONERS. Patrolman Kern Had to Use a Mace on

One of Them.

While patrolman Kern was en route to supper last night he saw two men acting somewhat suspiciously near the corner of Pine and St. Clair streets, and stood and throne was read by the Imperial Chancel- | watched them for a few moments. They lor, Prince Hohenlohe, and referred to the apparently went on about their business and the officer continued on his way to his home. When he came back a little girl told him that two men were rummaging around in the yard back of Fred Homouth's grocery, at the corner of Pine and St. Clair streets. The officer went there and the two men started to run down the alley. The officer gave chase and caught them. They were Moses Leverton, a laborer, living near Broadway and Cherry street, and Frank Shields, a plumber, living at 334 South Alabama street. The officer made a hurried search and found in Leverton's pocket a handkerchief in which was tied a stone. He seized Leverton by the arm, and then, drawing his revolver, marched Shields in front of him to Massachusetts avenue. As the revolver would have attracted considerable attention on the street the officer put it in his pocket and drew his mace. Shields looked back, and ence of the week was present. Yesterday steing the mace had replaced the revolver. afternoon word came from Mr. Frank turned on the officer and the latter smote him vigorously on the head a few times and told him to walk on. His command was obeyed readily and the two prisoners were marched to Haag's drug store, where the officer telephoned for the patrol wagon. Shields said at the police station that he was a wronged man, as he did not know that Leverton had the slaugshot in his pocket, or he would not have remained in his company. Leverton only grinned when asked why he carried the improvised weapon. He was slated for carrying a

concealed weapon and Shields for joitering. FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

Warmer, Cloudy Weather, and Possibly Light Showers. Forecast for Indianapolis and vicinity for the twenty-four hours ending 11 p. m., Nov. 21-Warmer: cloudy weather: possibly occasional light showers on Saturday. General Conditions Yesterday-High barometric pressure continued and the

temperature rose except near the Atlantic coast, where it fell. Freezing temperature continued from Wyoming, Colorado, Kansas, Iowa and the lakes northward, and zero to eighteen degrees below zero from Montana and North Dakota northward, Light, misty rain fell occasionally in the lower Missouri valley, the upper Missis-sippi valley, in the Ohio valley and near the northern Atlantic coast. FORECAST FOR THREE STATES.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20 .- For Ohlo-Con-

inued threatening weather; slowly rising

temperature: fresh east winds.

For Illinois and Indiana-Threatening weather, with occasional showers; slightly warmer; south winds becoming variable. Friday's Local Observations. Bar. Ther. R.H. Wind. Weather. Pre. 7 a. m. .30.46 35 73, N'east. Lt. rain. 7 p. m. .30.32 37 78 East. Lt. rain. Maximum temperature, 40; minimum tem-

Following is a comparative statement of the temperature and precipitation Nov. 20: Normal ..... Mean ..... Departure from normal......... -5 -0.14 parture since Nov. 1.. Total departure since Jan. 1..... \*54 --2.13 C. F. R. WAPPENHANS, Local Forecast Official,

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S. PENNSYLVANIA ST. THE LAST OF "PATIENCE.

est-"The Little Reb-To-Night. cessful performance of Another 'Patience" was given last evening at the Flower Mission fair and the largest audi-Elstun that he was too sick to take his part in the opera and Mr. Burton Collver, who rehearsed the opera, took the character of Major Murgatroyd, playing it with skill and singing in a most satisfactory manner. Mr. Collver is a professional who has located in this city, and his first interest was in the presentation of this opera. Last night was the last of "Patience." To-day there is to be a general reduc-tion in the price of all articles left in the

booths. Flower Mission Notes. There will be singing this evening at the

Lady Bountiful booth by a number of wellknown young people. Mrs. D. W. Coffin is one of the artists who contributed to the library booth an exceedingly pretty water color, which is cleverly done.

Mrs. Lew Wallace, who has had charge of ail the luncheons, assisted by a number of ladies, will serve luncheon again to-day, The luncheons have been well patronized In the candy booth there is a graphaphone that is remarkable, and there are

speeches, songs and instrumental music to be heard, either through the tubes or through the horn. This is the last day of the Flower Mission fair. This afternoon there will be the children's party and this evening the play "The Little Rebel," with Mrs. Elsie Lombard Brush in the leading part. The ladies of the art booth will take sup-

modate three hundred if necessary, CITY NEWS NOTES.

per at the Wayside Inn this evening, and

have invited a number of gentlemen for the

feast. Several other parties will also be

served. The ladies of the inn can accom-

Rev. T. H. Nelson will speak again tomorrow at 4 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Special music will be provided. The Clinton T. Lowes appointed to the fire department a few days ago is not the Clint V. Lowe of the county treasurer's

Mrs. Wilbur F. Crafts, president of the International Primary Teachers' Union, of Washington, D. C., who is now in the city conducting a series of meetings of instruction in the interests of this institution, will speak at Roberts Park M. E. Church to-morrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Wrought-iron Pipe for Gas,